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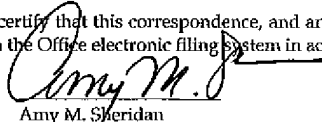
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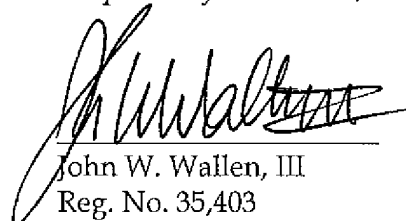
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- ☐ There are no listed references which are not in the English language.
- ☒ 37 CFR 1.98(a)(3). This Information Disclosure Statement includes non-English language patents, patent publications and/or references.
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- ☒ Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.98(3)(ii), attached are copies of written English-language translations of those listed non-English language references, or portions thereof, namely, English-language abstracts.
- ☐ Attached are copies of search report(s) from corresponding patent application(s), which are listed on the attached Submission Under MPEP 609 D.
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